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LETTER TO THE EXAMINER REQUESTING STATUS UPDATE

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Sir:

Further to a routine review of the Patent Application Information Retrieval (PAIR) system, it appears that the instant application has not been assigned an Examiner and no indication is provided as to when an action will be prepared. As the application was filed September 10, 2003, it is respectfully requested that an indication be provided as to when action will be taken on the instant application.

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